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GENERAL AND REVENUE SECRETARIAT.

Serial Nos. 1-13

Re ~~Part~~ B for May 1887

SUBJECT.

Complaint against the increase of Thatta tax

W D 1250—GPB—30,000 28-1-19

No 1020

To the Nawab Sahib
Ju Ushrah as to the
Circumstances
Peths are tenant for
Thus exempt
a ship tax that
has been paid

A ship tax is a tax upon
ships of burden (12)
Hans Peths separate
Do this carry on this
business is this known
Chemist & Druggist?

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Recd. 21/7/82

Dr. Cross
23-6-83

Dr. 23-6-1882

Seal's No. 1205
Dt. 20 19 (11)

The Dewan
to H.H. the Maharaja
of Mysore

Respected Sir

We the undersigned Chettis and Vyapamans and Community of Pauchalas residing in the town of Bangalore most respectfully beg to lay the following grievance before your honor hoping the same may meet with your favorable consideration

We beg to state that we are going since time and have Pattaries in our houses we are paying Coodayak for houses we pay no tax whatever for trade During the administration of H.H. the Maharaja and British Government the above was continued In this year our house tax was raised. In addition to this trade tax was put which was not in existence any time previous the petial was forced.

We further beg to observe we are very poor in trade. Outsiders have taken our profession we are hardly getting work. The Pattaries tax which was never ordered to be levied is very high. It is a very serious matter on

In conclusion we most sincerely entreat your honor will be pleased to take our grievance into your favorable consideration and extend

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From

The President,

Town Munl. Commission,

Bangalore.

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To Dewan

The Secretary to ~~Chief Commissioner~~ Govt

of ~~Revenue Depart~~

Bangalore

Dated 8 7 82
Despatched July 1882
Received

Enclosures No. 5

General No. 528.
No.

Submitting explanation in the petition of Channa-veeraiah & 5 others complaining against the exercise of Thop Tax.

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10/7/82

Submitted

No. 628.

Office of the Town Municipal Commissioner

Bangalore 8th July 1882.

From

The President
Town Municipal Commissioner
Bangalore

To

The Secretary to the Dewan
at Mysore

Sir,

I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your Official Memo. No. 251 dated 4th instant giving cover to a petition signed conjointly by Channaveerabettu and others together with its four enclosures and drawing my attention to the remarks of the Dewan on the petition. In reply I beg to offer my explanation as follows.

not found in file

2. 1st With regard to the Dewans remarks stating that bazaars of the same description and size on the same road have been most unequally assessed by the assessor and enquiring whether the assessment has been examined by any of the Commissioners on their complaint and with what results I beg to state that in the several petitions I have received from people complaining against the increase

increase of those taxes no mention was made as to the buildings of the same description and size having been unequally assessed nor do I find it in the petitions under reference. Myself together with some of the Municipal Commissioners have inspected several of the shops and have found no reason to interfere with the rates assessed by the assessor.

3. Query In respect to the instructions contained in the remarks of the Deputy directing that a full and detailed report on the subject giving the rates in the several Cases and the principles upon which they were assessed should be submitted. I beg to state that the taxes on the shops were imposed some 18 years ago since when they were allowed to remain undisturbed except the taxing of new shops that may have been opened during the year. On my taking charge of this Municipality I found that the revision of house and Shop taxes directed in the late Chief Commissioners Proceedings Ex. No. 5816-27 dated 2nd February 1880 has not been carried into effect, I therefore thought it indispensable to carry it out and accordingly with the assistance of the Municipal Commissioners revised

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the assessment of houses as well as Shops, Looms &c. The principle under which the Shops have been taxed in accordance with the rates proved in the Malabar & Kanara Tables ordered to be levied in the year 1860. The Municipality of course used discretion in so doing.

4 I beg to submit the accompanying Statement furnishing the necessary explanation in regard to the Cases under reference and respectfully hope that it will meet the approval of the Govt.

5 In conclusion I may state that I personally assessed many houses in company with the Municipal Commissioners and Assistant Commissioners Aleemeruddy Iyengar in so that the Municipal Assessor might properly understand the principles of taxation. The Assistant Commissioner Aleemeruddy Iyengar in fact superintended the assessment of a whole Division - the Amildar of Bangalore also assisted. Nearly all appeals have been disposed of and the Shop taxation in my opinion is far from excessive especially when the increasing and thriving trade of the Town are taken into consideration

Enclosures

6. Enclosures received with the above
are herewith returned.

I have the honor to
be
Sir,
Your most Obed.t Servant

J. Mitchell
Lieut.
Coast Survey

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No. 285

A.B. 6-1882-3

To. The Dy Comr
Bangalore Dt

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The accompanying
petitions received from
the Shopkeepers of Bangalore
are forwarded to the
Dy Comr. & President of
the Municipality of
Bangalore for disposal
with reference to the
orders passed on
Progs dated 11th Instant

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(Serial No. 2.) Form No. 9.

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From

The President,

Town Muni. Commission,

Bangalore.

To

The Secretary to the Dewan of Mysore,

Bangalore.

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Dated 18

Despatched July 1882

Received

Enclosures No. 6

General No. 563

No.

Subject.

Reporting on the Petitions of certain Inhabitants of the Town of Bangalore Complaining against the increase on Shop Tax.

To the Revd. Commr. 25/7/82

BS. 20.7.82

Noted Yesterday

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No. 1563

Office of the Town Municipal Commissioner

Bangalore
18th July 1882

From

The President
Town Municipal Commissioners
Bangalore

To

The Secretary to the Dewan
of Mysore

Sir,

I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your Memorandum No 283 and docket No 285 dated respectively 11th instant in original covering petitions Nos as per margin received therewith complaining against the increase of shop tax and in reply to submit for the information of the Dewan a statement showing the No of shops that each complainant has and the rate of tax increased thereon in the present revision. I inspected the majority of the shops complained of by the petitioners yesterday accompanied by Mr A. Seshanna Chetty the Municipal Commissioner in whose division these shops lie and found them if any thing to be understassessed.

II Petitioners would desire to have their

* Forwarded
* herewith returned

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thereof chosen taxed at the same proportion
as houses are now taxed, & at the rental
value. But being Mahadeuja taxation
this cannot be done until it shall have
been done hitherto

III Williams complain that they have
now to pay more than they did heretofore
This is true; but then for several years
past they have been under assessed
and even at present this assessment
moderate

I have the honor to be
Sir
your most obedient servant

[redacted]
Lieut
Assistant
Commissioner

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(Serial No. 6.)

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From

The President,
Town Municipal Commission.

To

The Secretary to the Dewan of Mysore,
Bangalore.

Dated	3rd August 82
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Received	

Enclosures No.

General No.	621
No.	

Beginning to be favoured with the instructions of the Dewan to levy taxes on shops —

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To Fort Engineers

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(Serial No. 3.)

No. 621

OFFICE OF THE TOWN MUNICIPAL COMMISSION,
Bangalore, 3rd August 1882.

From

The President,
Town Municipal Commission,
Bangalore.

To

The Secretary to the Durbar
of Mysore.

Sir

With reference to the remarks passed by the Dewan on the petition of one Santhia Veerappa and others complaining against the increase of taxes on their shops recommended by your official letter addressed No 3[illegible] dated 11th Ultimo and returned with your official letter No 5[illegible] dated 18th ditto I have the honor to request that you will be so good as to favour me with the instructions of His Highness Chamarajendra as to how the increase proposed in the Bangalore Municipality may be carried into effect with the least inconvenience to the inhabitants and in accordance with the practice of the Mysore Department.

I have the honor to be
Sir,
Your most obedient Servant

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President
Town Municipal Commission

(Serial No. 6.)

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From

The President,
Town Municipal Commission.

To

The Secretary to the Dewan of Mysore,
Bangalore.

Dated 4th } October 1882
Despatched 5th }
Received

Enclosures No.

General No.
No. 930.

Subject

Stating that in consequence
of the Bureau instructions
on the Subject of the appeal
petitions preferred thereto
by pasters against shop
tax Coercive measures
having been taken for the
Recovery of Taxes due

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(Serial No. 3.)

No. 930. OFFICE OF THE TOWN MUNICIPAL COMMISSION,
Bangalore, the 1st October 1892.

From

The President,
Town Municipal Commission,
Bangalore.

To

The Secretary to the [illegible]
[illegible].

Sir,

In continuation of my letter No. 621 of 2nd instant, I have the honor to bring to your notice for the information of the Government that although only a portion of Revenue remains in the case of Non-payers of taxes until subjected to much until the recovery of large outstandings I have under the above circumstance entered necessary process to be taken in the case of such defaulters as to the exchange thereof, in anticipation of the instructions of the Government on the subject as I am anxious that all outstandings are adjusted before the commencement of Collection of revenue for the current year.

I have the honor to be
Sir,
Your most Obedient Servant
[illegible]
President
Town Municipal Commission

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From

The Preside..., Town Municipal Commission.

To

The Secretary to the Dewan of Mysore, Bangalore.

Dated 14 October 1882
Despatched
Received

Enclosures No. 1

General No. 958
No. 95-8

Submitting Report on the petition of certain Palanquin bearers residing in the Town of Bangalore complaining against the taxes levied on them during the recent general census

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excused to those who have managed to escape themselves from the taxation on the previous occasion.

Enclosures herewith returned.

I have the honour &c
Your Most Obedt Servt

President
Town Municipal Commn

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(Serial No. 2.) Form No. 2.

1883.

From

The President,
Town Munl. Commission,
Bangalore.

To

The Secretary to the Dewan of Mysore,
Bangalore.

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Dated 8th
Despatched } February 1883.
Received

Enclosures No.

General No. 1333.
No.

Subject

Requesting an early reply to the letter submitted on the complaint of Venkamma & others against the Inhabitants of Ward No 7

Please
R/ 12/2-
Sir,
Reply have been sent

No 1333.

Office of the Town Clerk
Jamaica 8th May 1853

From
The President
of the Municipal Council
Jamaica

To
The Secretary to the Bengal
Agriculture

Sir

With reference to the Correspondence taken in the Inquiry now pending upon the Complaint of Petitions of certain Merchants of the Town against which have been issued on them Notices to state what Collections from them are depending pending the orders of the Bengal the subject the requisite can easily reply to the above

I have the honor to be
Sir,
Your most obedient servant

[illegible]
President
Town Municipal Council

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(General Serial No. 30.)

1883.

From

The Secretary to the Dewan
of Mysore,

To The Officer in ch: of the Chitaldroog Sub Div

Dated 13th

Despatched

Received June 1883

Enclosures No:

General No. 1167

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Requests that a Copy of the Office Mem. No 561 of 29 November 1882 to the address of the Dy Commissioner of the late Chitaldroog Distt regarding the abolition of Octroi on Daraugas may be furnished to this Office at an early date.

By Order

Under Secretary

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(General Serial No. 29.)

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From The Assistant Commissioner
Chikmagalur Sub division

To

The Secretary to the ~~Chief Commissioner~~ Government
of Mysore, Revenue Department.

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Dated 18th June 1883.

Despatched 19th June 1883.

Received

Enclosures None.

General No. 98. } 1883-84.
No.

With reference to his docket
No: 1167 dated 13th instant,
has the honor to state that the
Revenue No: 561 dated 29th
December 1882. anent the
abolition of the Octroi in
the Darrugee Town was
sent in appeal to the
Deputy Commissioner of
the Chikmagalur division, who
has this day been requested
to forward a direct to him
at an early date

D Srinivasaiah
Assistant Commissr.
Chikmagalur Sub Dn

1. Salar Khalid Rao ... [illegible]
2. Sadatkha of Nagarthanvala of Bangalore.
3. Gangadharrao/... [illegible]
4. the commercial ... [illegible]
... [illegible]

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End.

The Petitioners are informed that appeals against the proceedings of the Municipality in matters connected with taxation of Petrs houses or shops do not lie to the Govt, but to the District Judge under Sect 78 (as amended in Notification No 108, 6 Aug 1883) of the Municipal Act.

By Regulation

R.K.

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In continuation of Govt No 4647/334 dated 8 Sept 1882

Copy to P. to the Bd for information and guidance in the case of the petition by the Bd that the Orders laid down in the Regulation as regards remission of taxes is strictly observed. By this Govt

R.K.

By the Board

Collecting taxes pending final orders: This Govt confirms the final orders -

The Chairman, Bangalore Commissioners Court, Bangalore

(Serial No. 6.)

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From

The President,
Town Munl. Commission.

The Secretary to the Dewan of Mysore,
Bangalore.

Dated 15

Despatched } September 86.

Received 17

Enclosures No.

General No. 329.

No.

Subject

Re: Figures of permission to collect the balance due by the Goldsmiths.

Letter Dept No: 9210 8/12

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* The reduction of Shop Tax on Goldsmiths proposed in para 5 of letter 2622 dt. 12th Sept 1884 is approved.

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(Serial No. 8)

No. 259. Office of the Town Municipal Commission.
Bangalore, 15th September 1884.

From

The President,
Town Municipal Commission,
Bangalore.

To

The Secretary to Government,
Public Works Department,
Bangalore.

Sir,

I have the honor to bring to your notice that some of the Goldsmiths who have not paid their rents for 1883-84 still refuse to pay the same on the plea that their petition is pending reference in the Revenue Office. In reporting on the petition of Goldsmiths in this Office letter No 252 dated 13th instant, I have recommended a reduction in the existing rates of taxation on the Goldsmiths, and which rate, if sanctioned by Government will be collected from the year 1884-85, I would recommend that no retrospective Effect be given to this as most of the Goldsmiths have paid at the existing rates. I therefore would request that an endorsement to the given to Petitioners.

I have the honor to be
Your most Obedient Servant.

Commissioner
Town Municipality

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Read:-

Letters No 252 dated 12th Augt and No 329 of the 15th Septr 1882 from the President, City Municipal Commission, Bangalore, reporting upon the petition of Goldsmiths residing in the City and recommending that when a goldsmith pays both house and shop taxes, the maximum rate of shop tax may be reduced from Rs 8 to Rs 6 and the minimum rate from Rs 2 to Rs 1-8-0 per shop -

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Order thereon:-

The reduction of shop tax on goldsmiths proposed in para 5 of the Municipal President's letter No 252 dy. 12th August 1884 is approved.

Chief Secy

No 990 Petn 18 Dt 27/5/87

To. The President, Municipal Board, Bangalore City

~~for copy~~

Endt to Petr

Petn Dept for information. 27/5/87